

SRI AZEEZ SAIT (Minister for Industries and Commerce).—

(a) There are Six cement factories in the State. The quantity of cement produced by each factory is noted below.—

Name of the Factory	Licenced capacity	Average daily production	Average annual production
	M.T.	M.T.	M.T.
1. Mysore Cements Ltd.	5,10,000	1,600	5,30,000
2. Cement Corporation of India	2,00,000	600	1,87,000
3. Visvesvaraya Iron and Steel Ltd.	99,996	300	86,000
4. Bagalkot Udyog Ltd	3,60,000	750	2,70,000
5. Shahabad (A. C. C.)	5,68,000	1 200	5,18,000
6. Wadi (A. C. C.)	4,00,000	1,500	4,09,000

(b) Licenced stockists market the cement. List of stockists for each of the factories in the State is placed on the Table of the House.**

The individual factories themselves were appointing stockists who had to obtain licence from the Deputy Commissioners in the districts and Director of Industries and Commerce for Bangalore City. From 1st October 1978, the factories are not permitted to appoint stockists. The Director of Industries and Commerce for Bangalore City and the Deputy Commissioner in the districts appoints stockists since 1st October 1978.

(c) No information is available for stockists appointed by the individual factories prior to 1st October 1978. After 1st October 1978 the Director of Industries and Commerce has appointed one stockist who belongs to Scheduled Cast.

Government High School in Dudda Village in Hassan Taluk

572 SRI HARANAHALLI RAMASWAMY (Gandsi)—Will the Minister for Education be pleased to state.—

(a) the period during which the Government High School at Dudda village in Hassan Taluk is functioning;

(b) the condition of the present buildings in which the school is being run.

(c) whether the Government intend to construct the High School building during this year?

SRI B. SUBBAYYA SHETTY (Minister for Education)—

(a) The school was started by Taluk Development Board during 1951 and subsequently taken over to Government control with effect from 1-4-1971.

() At present the High School is located in a rented building.

(c) No.

MESSAGE FROM CHAIRMAN, LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENT

MR. SPEAKER.—I have received the following message from the Chairman, Legislative Council.

“As required by rule 106 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Karnataka Legislative Council, I send herewith the following Bill which has been agreed to by the Legislative Council, without amendments on 1st February, 1979.

THE MYSORE ELECTRICAL INDUSTRIES LIMITED (ACQUISITION OF SHARES) BILL, 1979.”

9-00 A.M.

CALLING ATTENTION TO MATTERS OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE

(i) *re:—Harassment of Harijans by land-lords at Gunthoorpalli, Kolar District.*

SRI CHOWDA REDDY (Chintamani).—Sir, I call the attention of the Minister for Rural Development and Panchayat Raj to the harassment of poor Harijans at Gunthoorpalli, Bagepalli Taluk, Kolar District by the land-lords and the rich.

SRI K. PABHAKAR (Minister for Rural Development & Panchayat Raj).—Sir, I beg to make the following.

In Gunturpalli village of Bagepalli taluk of Kolar district, two acres of land, out of S.No. 67/1 and 67/3 belonging to Sri Sadra Byappa and Sadra Venkataramanappa has been acquired and 40 sites